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A Very Merry Christmas To All Our Readers

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LOCAL EDITOR
Mrs. M. Creighton

Blue Jay

Mrs. Mary Klimiuk went to Edmonton for a few days where she visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bodner.

A fifteenth birthday party was held in honor of Miss Donna Karpetz. A few friends and relatives attended the party where presents and a sum of cash were presented. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. Later a lunch was served.

Miss Doreen Mellot of Grassland spent a few days at the home of her friend, Miss Stella Devanty.

Mr. and Mrs. George Douhaluik attended a birthday party for Jack Daviduik of Grassland.

John Szkorupa of Edmonton is now staying in the district.

Water Gregus visited his family in this area recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Klimuik made a business trip to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Karpetz, Donna and Philip, John Zayonc motored to Edmonton recently.

Catholic Women To Buy Furnace For Church

McMURRAY — The McMurray-Waterways Catholic Women's League held its December meeting in the Old Mission with 19 members and visitors present. Mrs. R. Theriault presided.

The hospital and shut-in committees gave their visiting reports. It was unanimously approved to donate $25 to the Sisters at the hospital for making Christmas hampers for needy families. A discussion concerning a larger project as a CWL objective brought a unanimous vote to buy a propane furnace for the church at Waterways.

The Sisters from the hospital displayed a collection of almost 200 articles they had made for needy children. The items included sweaters, socks, mitts, caps and stuffed toys.

Mrs. R. Theriault was winner of the monthly raffle.

Issue More Traffic Summonses Here

The president of the Edmonton chamber of commerce, Fred Jenner, has told city council the blanket issuance of raffic summonses to motorists for moving offences may lead to the loss of public confidence in the police. He said a survey conducted by the chamber shows Edmonton city police lead police forces in other western cities in the issuance of traffic citations.

. . . and much happiness to all our good friends.

GEORGE HOMENIUK

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

With many good wishes for your health and happiness.

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STEWART'S Rexall Drug Store

Phone 62

LAC LA BICHE

Merry Christmas

WE HOPE THIS CHRISTMAS WILL BE ESPECIALLY PLEASANT FOR YOU, YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

Hudson's Bay Company.

INCORPORATED 2nd MAY 1670.

County of Athabasca No. 12

SCHOOL BUS FOR SALE

Applications will be received for the purchase of one School Bus on Route 23 (twenty-three).

GMC 1960, Model O.S. 950. Serial No. 302601275-D, for $5,730.00 cash or on terms of $1,150.00 as cash down payment and balance on monthly instalments.

Applications must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than 5:00 p.m., January 5, 1962.

W. J. LESKIW, Secretary-Treasurer.

Town of Lac la Biche

NOTICE

The Town of Lac la Biche is considering placing welcome signs at the main entrances to the Town.

Have you a good idea for a slogan?
What should be mentioned on such a sign?
How would you arrange it?

You are invited to send your suggestions to the Town Secretary. You may have just the right idea that the Town can use.

F. D. CREIGHTON,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Lac la Biche.

Town of Lac la Biche

BY-LAW NO. 107

By-Law providing for the removal of snow, ice and dirt from sidewalks. The Council of the Town of Lac la Biche enacts as follows:

1. Every occupant of properties fronting or abutting on a sidewalk or sidewalks within the Town of Lac la Biche, shall remove the snow, ice or dirt from such sidewalk or sidewalks.
2. If any occupant makes default in removing any snow, ice or dirt removable by him, any expenses incurred by the Town in so doing shall be recoverable by distress against the goods and chattels of the occupant in the same manner as if expenses were taxes levied pursuant to the Town and Village Act and so recoverable.

The above is a copy of By-law No. 107 of the Town of Lac la Biche.

F. D. CREIGHTON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

County of Athabasca No. 12

Province of Alberta

NOTICE

ASSESSMENT ROLL NOTICE 1962

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment of properties not subject to change for the year 1962 of the said municipality, made under the Assessment Act, has been authorized for use in the year 1962 and will be open for inspection throughout the month of January 1962, during office hours and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or wishes to object to his assessment or any assessment as being too high or too low must, within the said month of January, lodge his or her complaint(s) in writing to the secretary-treasurer of the municipality.

DATED at Athabasca this fourteenth day of December, 1961.

W. J. LESKIW, Secretary-Treasurer

Church Notices

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Lac la Biche Pastoral Charge
Minister: Rev. S. L. Munro,
Lac la Biche
Sunday, December 24

LAC LA BICHE—
Family Worship 10:00 a.m.
Christmas Eve Service 11:00 p.m.
RICH LAKE-BRIEREVILLE—
Carol Service 12:15 p.m. (noon)
KIKINO—
Carol Service 3:00 p.m.
ATMORE—
Carol Service 7:00 p.m.
HYLO—
Carol Service 9:00 p.m.
Monday, December 25
LAC LA BICHE—
Christmas Day Service 11:00 a.m.
Sermon Mr. S. J. Clarke

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA
The Rev. W. A. Swinton
Christmas Services
Lac la Biche, Dec. 24—
Midnight Eucharist 11:30 p.m.
Wandering River, Dec. 25—
Holy Communion 11:00 a.m.
Grassland, Dec. 25—
Holy Communion 8:00 a.m.
Rich Lake, Dec. 24—
Holy Communion 2:00 p.m.

Church Notices

Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church
Lac la Biche and District
January, 1962

7th, Sunday, Christmas, Lac la Biche
Morning Service 12:00 noon
Mass 1:30 p.m.
8th, Monday, Sarrail—
Mass 10:30 a.m.
9th, Tuesday, Noral—
Mass 10:30 a.m.
14th, Sunday, New Year, Grassland—
Mass 10:30 a.m.
19th, Friday, Jordan Days, Boyle—
Morning Service 9:30 a.m.
Mass 10:30 a.m.
20th, Saturday, Lac la Biche—
Mass 10:30 a.m.
21st, Sunday, Sarrail—
Mass 10:30 a.m.
28th, Sunday, Boyle
Mass 10:30 a.m.

Rev. P. Zubrytsky
Lac la Biche, Telephone 187

Wandering River

Alvin Mitchell is home for a few weeks holiday from British Columbia where he is stationed with the navy.

Bill and Eli Bereska have gone north where they will be employed until Christmas.

Nick Strayski recently made a business trip to Edmonton.

We wish you a Merry Christmas

PASTOR'S MESSAGE . . .

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

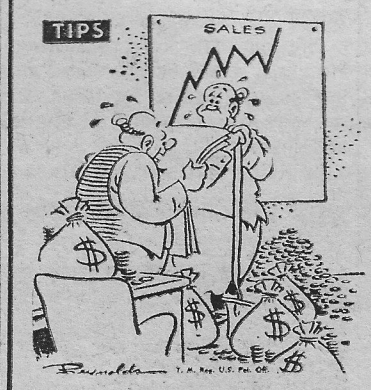
by REV. W. A. SWINTON,
Anglican Church

When Emperor Constantine established Christianity as the state religion of the Roman Empire, the persecution of the Christians came to an end. But at first Christ's birthday was not observed by His followers, for the church fathers did not want this sacred occasion put on a par with pagan carnivals. One official, Origen, especially declared against such practice stating that it was sinful to keep Christ's birthday "as though He were a King Pharoah."

In the modern world we find that the birth of Christ is variously observed. We have today many traditions, now gathered into what we call Christmas. The use of evergreen trees, of lights, the decorating of homes and churches, the exchange of greeting cards, the giving of presents, have all become an essential part of this great season. To a casual observer today it would seem that Christmas is only a secular festival. For we do enjoy certain extravagance; we indulge ourselves recklessly. However, such a view would be quite wrong.

Christmas in our modern world still presents to thoughtful people the sacred overtones that it did to those Christians of nearly 20 centuries ago. As then, people today will again realize that Christmas is the gift of God. Only God could have thought of Christmas. This season comes each year to beautify the home and the family, and to remind us of what God did for our world once long ago in Bethlehem.

The pink polk-dotted pachyderms heralded a circus which was to open here.



"I think I've located the trouble — we used an Alberta Country Life Classified."

Merry Christmas

It has been a privilege to serve you and we will strive with every effort to merit a continuance of your patronage.

OSCAR D. TREMBLAY
Lac la Biche Alta.

Goose Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Whitford of Edmonton were recent visitors in the district.

The annual meeting of the WA was held at the home of Mrs. T. Bergheim when seven members were present. Esther Hogtveit was elected president, Elizabeth Kinnunen treasurer and Anne Bergheim secretary. Mrs. Price will have the next meeting at her home.

Stanley Bergheim is employed in Edmonton.

We wish you a Merry Christmas

As another year passes by, we sincerely hope our many patrons and friends enjoy the merriest Christmas they've ever had!

FROM PELICAN HOTEL
Manager: Joe Dragon **PLAMONDON, Alberta**

The Old Fashioned
CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Behind the joy, feasting and gift giving which help so much to make Christmas the most important day in the year there rests a fundamental spiritual and religious feeling.

Our Christmas has become an institution, successfully serving an inner as well as an outer need . . . an institution based on old, well founded precepts . . . yet as well adapted to the needs of the world today as it was centuries ago. It is an institution capable of fulfilling an age-old requirement . . . that of joy to mankind.

It is our hope that from this day you will gain the full measure of joy . . . and that the New Year will be the best you've ever had.

The Chairman and Members of the Council of the County of Athabasca No. 12

We Send to You Our GREETINGS!

May your way be gay; your pleasures unending; your Christmas a merry one; your New Year a prosperous one. These are our wishes for you. For ourselves? All we want is your continued friendship and patronage. This is enough for anyone.

Basca Sheet Metal & Heating
ATHABASCA **Alberta**

PASTOR'S MESSAGE . . .

Greetings To All At Christmas

By REV. PETER ZUBRYTSKY
Greek Orthodox Church

"He was poor for our sake so that through Him, we could be encircled" Second Epistle to the Corinthians 8:9.

Forever be blessed, the Night in Bethlehem that revealed the secret of the arrival of the son of God on earth! Immaculate Mary gave birth to a child who was destined to take all the people's sins and bring salvation unto them. The Heavens opened and choirs of heavenly powers announced unto the people about that salvation. Peace unto the Lord and peace among the men of good will. The Heavenly Star shone bright with its rays pointing to us the way to where Christ was born.

Brightly lit by the star of salvation, the night gave us the source of Living Water of which He proclaimed: "He who wants, come unto me and drink. St. John 7:37. For from the barn poured the beams of light in every direction of the world; of love and truth, peace, forgiveness of sin, return of the lost to his Creator; the brotherly love in Christ.

Rays of Holy Scripture today do not cease. In days of depression which reigns in the world, they warm our hearts giving evidence of kind hearted care of our Creator of all life.

Scripture of Jesus Christ today remains the greatest gem for all weary and tired. Matt. 11:28. Giving them joy in times of a sadness and pain.

But the Scripture at the same time is strict in warning against brutality, ill gain and conceit of haughty human thought. He who heeds not and does not take my words has judge unto himself. Word, which I have said will be judgment unto his last day. St. John 12:48.

In great sorrow, under hypnotism of materialism and forces of darkness, over the helpless people the word of the Lord appears: "Many shall be tempted, will point out one another, and hate each other. "Matt. 23:10. And in reality in this 20th century His words are taking form.

Nations rise against nations. Human blood flows ceaselessly. The second world war took the life of 53 million people, crippled 32 million and left 28 million orphans. All his happens because the people of the world do not follow the Star of Bethlehem to the Christ Child who is born each year in the hearts of the people.

Already, 1961 years have passed since Christ was born in Judean Bethlehem. In that silent night the angels of Our Lord sang unto the newborn "Praise the Lord in Heaven, peace on earth and love amongst men!"

Has this first Christmas carol been fulfilled? Is there peace among men? As these words are written, there are broadcasts of uprisings and the machine gunning of those who rise for the cause of justice. What will happen tomorrow? In a year? Ten years from now? Where shall the men of good will seek salvation?

The one and only salvation for humanity is to accept the everlasting lesson given us by Jesus. Devoting ourselves to peace, brotherliness and love.

In giving all Christians my sincere Christmas message, I pray the merciful Lord, that He will bestow on men, women and children peace, joy and love.

Let us all, these days, bring unto the Christ Child: Instead of gold, faith; in place of laudanum, love and good Christian deeds.

In the peace of our hearts let us sing "Praise in Heaven unto the Lord and Peace on Earth" Luke 1:14.

Christmas giving in England dates from the reign of Henry VII when Christmas boxes and New Year gifts were a common enactment of royalty from their subjects.

Catholic Men Elect Officers

McMURRAY — The McMurray Catholic Men's Association held its annual meeting in the Old Mission. Rene Theriault was voted in as the new chairman. Other officers elected were Joe Gauthier, vice-president; Leo Gaudet, secretary-treasurer.

Walter Gauthier and Arthur Harpe volunteered to assist with Scouts, and Norbert Groos volunteered to help with the Cubs.

The date of the pre-Christmas turkey-ham and jackpot bingo was set for Dec. 13.

to all our friends . . . may we extend best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Happy New Year.

Cal's General Store

RICH LAKE Alberta

. . . and much happiness to all our good friends.

Robinson Store

Phone 205

LAC LA BICHE

We all wish to extend to you Christmas greetings and good will, and may boundless Holiday cheer be yours. To our ever-widening circle of friends we are especially grateful this year.

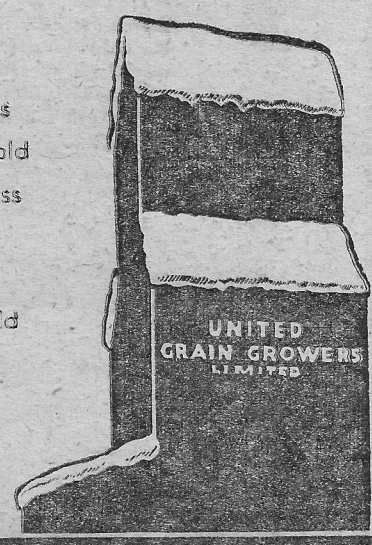
DERKO'S HUSKY SERVICE

GRASSLAND Alberta

GREETINGS
Upon this joyful occasion, we share our happiness with you. May this Christmas be the brightest of all, and may the year to come be full of success.
Chas. Labas
LAC LA BICHE
Alberta

The Board of Directors and Management of United Grain Growers Limited take this means of thanking the farm families of this Province for their continued patronage of U.G.G. elevators during the year now nearing its end . .

May the Joy and Peace of Christmas bless your household and bring happiness to those within and to those who cross your threshold during the Christmas Season



UNITED GRAIN GROWERS LIMITED

J. G. HACKMAN, Agent

Edmonton International Airport One Of Largest In Entire World

Edmonton International Airport is the largest civilian airport in Canada and one of the largest in the world.

Its runways, 11,000 and 10,200 feet in length, accommodate the largest, fastest aircraft in use now and in the foreseeable future.

A complete air traffic control service and modern navigational aids such as runway lighting and an instrument landing system make the new airport as up to date as any in Canada.

The $10,000,000 terminal building now under construction will also be among the most modern in the world.

Many plans were prepared to determine which would best serve the numbers of passengers and kinds of flights predicted for Edmonton International Airport. The building will, of course, have the benefit of revisions suggested by the actual operation of jet aircraft at other Canadian airports.

The new building will have a large central block three storeys high for the accommodation of the travelling public and the operating airlines. Above it, in the centre, will be a multi-storey office block housing such operational services as telecommunications, air traffic control and weather services.

Eight aircraft will be able to park at the building to load or unload passengers at adjacent gate positions. Each gate will have its own waiting room.

The movement of passengers through the building will take place on three levels, so that arriving and departing travellers will not cross each other's path. Most changes of level will be made by escalator.

The entire building will be 90 feet long. The control tower is to be 150 feet high.

Apart from the services mentioned, the terminal will have extensive ticketing and luggage weighing facilities, a post office, a bank, stores and concessions booths, a restaurant, a coffee shop and waiting rooms.

The building is expected to be completed by 1964.

Milk Producers Re-Elect Directors At Edmonton Meet

Re-elected to the board of directors of the Edmonton and district Milk and Cream Producers Association at the 44th annual meeting, held in the Sales Pavilion recently were E. W. Kadatz, J. L. Bailey and W. J. Hosford. Making up the seven man board are A. F. McEachren, R. A. Jespersen, R. D. Secord and Jim Bentley, president; their term of office expiring in November 1962.

The meeting went on record as approving a recommendation of the executive committee that producers who are not in excess of 10% of their production quota should not be required to be subjected to quota reductions. This recommendation is being forwarded to the Quota Committee and to the Board of Public Utilities.

Among the projects to be supported during the coming year are the awarding of a challenge trophy for grassland improvements; the Dairy Princess competition to be held in conjunction with the Edmonton Exhibition and a continuation of a promotional and advertising program by the Edmonton Milk Foundation and by the Milk Producers Association.

Jim Bentley advised that 148 out of 161 schools in Edmonton are now receiving promotional material on milk. This material is also being supplied to 60 rural schools. Milk vending machines have now been installed in schools in the Clover Bar school division, an experiment that is proving exceptionally popular. The machines dispense seven ounce containers of fresh milk for the nominal price of seven cents and permit school children ready access to milk during lunch and recreation periods. The experiment is also being tried in the City of Calgary where four schools have now been equipped with vending machines.

THE EASY KIND

A modern mother and her young son were shopping in a super-market. The child, trying to help picked up a package and brought it to her. "No no, honey," protested the mother, "go put it back. You have to cook that."

Rawleigh Business now open in Lac la Biche. Trade well established. Good profits. Products furnished on Credit. Write Rawleigh's, 589 Henry Ave., Dept. GG 144, Winnipeg 2, Man.

We appreciate the opportunity the Holiday Season brings to say "Thank You"

Eli's General Store

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

BEST WISHES FOR CHRISTMAS

HAPPY NEW YEAR, too!

ED. SCHAUB

TRUCK SERVICE

PLAMONDON Alta.

Greetings

As another year passes by, we wish to thank each and every one of our friends for their kind favors and patronage! May the spirit of Christmas enrich your lives throughout the coming year! May there be peace and goodwill among all mankind!

PARKLAND MOTORS

EDGAR BELANGER and OSCAR SCHWITZ

PLAMONDON Alberta

Holy Night

and all is calm with prayers for a peaceful earth and love between fellowmen.

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Tri-Way Service Garage

Phone 201 LAC LA BICHE

CHRISTMAS IS

Mistletoe over the door...

Laughter filling the room...

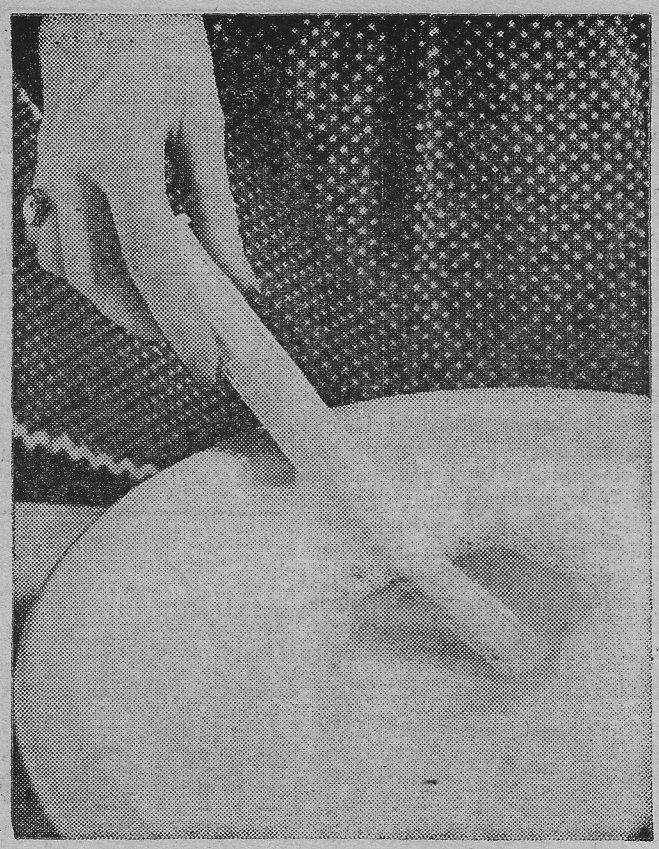
A time to greet old friends.

May your homes and hearts be filled with the joys of the season.

WM. HAMILTON Construction Co. Ltd.

Phone 4

LAC LA BICHE Alberta



A RIGID PLASTIC cage is the novel container for a new type of British washing up detergent, 1001 Flickstick. The plastic cage is injection-moulded in Rigidex high-density polythene. It is said to be strong, colorful and capable of resisting the action of detergents.

Venice

A group of men from Venice and Hylo attended a retreat at the re treat house, Star of the North, in St. Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Holmes from Edmonton were reecnt guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lefebvre.

James Rowland from Edmonton and his financee Miss Davonna Sharmacker from Boyle were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Torresan and Anita are in Breynat where he is employed.

Denise Lefebvre spent a week in Boyle visiting her sister, Mrs. John Ball.

Caslan

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Benson and family have moved into the section house. Mr. Benson is the section foreman for the NAR in Caslan. Four of their children are enrolled at the Caslan school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halitzky and family have moved into town.

Nick Krawchuk of Edmonton accompanied his brother Peter on a trip from the city.

Margaret, Arthur and Ronnie Henson sang at the Search for Talent in Lac la Biche. Mildred Ladouceur accompanied them on the guitar. Other contestants from the district were Irene Powder and Maggie Cardinal, who also sang.

CHRISTMAS

We take this opportunity of wishing our many friends our heartfelt best wishes for this happy season.

Hotel Coffee Shop

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

McMurray

Mr. and Mrs. G. Strandberg have announced the engagement of their daughter, Judith Selma to James Charles Mitten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mitten of Red Deer. The wedding will take place at the Sacred Heart church in Red Deer on Dec. 30.

Admissions to St. Gabriel hospital include: Vic Tanner, Tammy Farrelly, Johnny Fraser, William Hyska, Robert Boucher, Margaret Cardinal, baby Paul Lawrence, Barbara White, Henry Hainault, Maggie Cheecham, Bonnie Clark, Richard Clark, Mary Louise Beaver, Florence Roy and Lillian Paquette.

St. Aidan's WA held a successful rummage sale recently in the curling rink club room. Pie and coffee were also sold. President Mrs. A. Mitchell announced that the Christmas meeting would take place Dec. 14 in the Community Hall.

Although Christmas is the celebration of the birth of Jesus, the roots of the observance go deeply into the folklore of the Druids, Scandinavians, Romans and Egyptians.

We wish you a Merry Christmas

MERRY CHRISTMAS

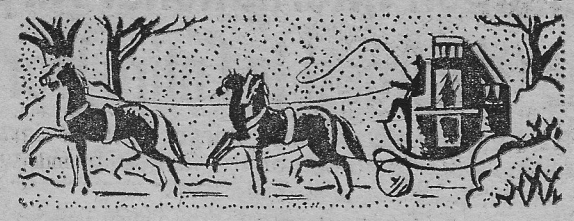
May we take this opportunity to thank you for your patronage and wish you a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

John Wm. Owchar

Hylo General Store

HYLO Alberta

SINCERE BEST WISHES



OURS is a land of happy homes, of free hearts. God has bountifully bestowed many blessings upon us. Let us put our trust in him and be glad this happy Yuletide season.

Maple Leaf Consumers Co-Operative Association Limited

C. J. GAUTHIER, Manager

PLAMONDON Alberta

As another year passes by, we sincerely hope our many patrons and friends enjoy the merriest Christmas they've ever had!

BOYLE LUMBER & HARDWARE

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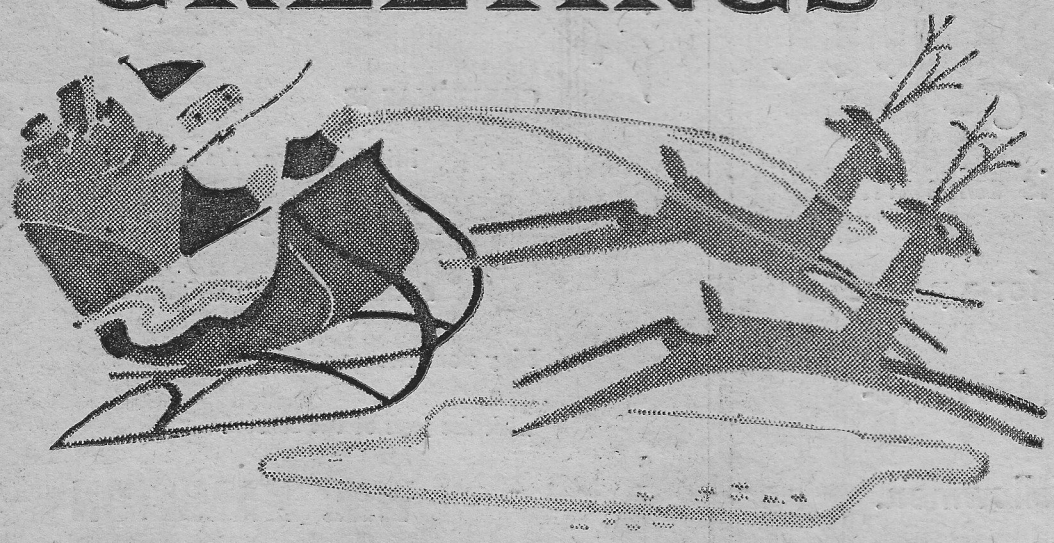
GREETINGS



May Santa Claus be good to you. May this Christmas be the merriest for you and yours and may the New Year bring you everything your heart desires.

LAC LA BICHE HOTEL

Phone 11 LAC LA BICHE

Christmas

We want to extend our sincerest thanks to our patrons and their families for their many favors and kindnesses during the past. A very Merry Christmas to you!

CENTRAL SALES & SERVICE

Phone 6 BOYLE

The Homemaker

District Home Economist, Westlock
By Bertha M. McCutcheon

The education program of the Nutrition Division through the past twenty years has stressed that with proper diet the average person requires no supplementation with any vitamins, minerals, or other nutrients, except for Vitamin D.

Canada's Food Rules, recently revised as Canada's Food Guide, was designed to provide an adequate dietary intake with foods common on the Canadian market. A person eating in accordance with this guide is assured of adequate nutrient intake, deficiency it is more economically corrected by purchase of the proper foods, and the benefits derived are more lasting. There is no benefit in the intake of any nutrients beyond the recommended levels of the dietary standard.

B. McCutcheon

Canada's Food Guide is applicable to all ages and for all kinds of activities, and is practical for low income budgets and for more generous income levels.

There may be the occasional person, perhaps one in a thousand, for whom the recommended intakes are not adequate, because of specific physical disorders. For such a person a supplementation of one or two nutrients may be necessary and, if so, should be prescribed by his physician. Supplementation of a number of nutrients is never necessary nor justified.

HAPPY HOLIDAY LAYERS

Red, green and white! Part of a can of lemonade concentrate goes in the middle layer, remainder in Lemon Mayonnaise—

1 pkg. lime-flavoured gelatine
2 cups water
1 9ounce (1 cup) seedless white grapes, drained
½ cup chopped celery
1 envelope (1 tbsp.) unflavoured gelatine
¼ cup cold water
1 cup boiling water
½ cup frozen lemonade concentrate
½ cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
1 1-lb. can (2 cups) fruit cocktail
1 pkg. cherry-flavoured gelatine
1 cup hot water

First layer: Dissolve lime gelatine in two cups hot water. Chill till partially set. Add grapes and celery; pour into a 2-quart mold and chill until firm.

Second layer: Soften unflavoured gelatine in ¼ cup cold water; dissolve in 1 cup boiling water. Add lemonade concentrate; blend in mayonaise. Chill till partially set. Pour over lime layer and chill until firm.

Third layer: Drain fruit cocktail; reserve syrup, adding water to make 1 cup. Dissolve cherry gelatine in 1 cup hot water. Add reserved fruit-cocktail syrup. Chill till partially set. Add fruit cocktail; pour over the layers in mold. Chill till firm. Unmold on salad grens. Serve with Lemon Mayonnaise. Makes 12 servings.

LEMON MAYONNAISE

Fluffy and tangy—it complements any fruit salad—

½ cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
½ cup heavy cream, whipped
¼ cup frozen lemonade concentrate

Combine mayonnaise and lemonade concentrate. Fold in whipped cream. Makes 1½ cups.

One of life's peculiarities is that when you are busiest a friend drops in to talk about his stomach-aches.

Rich Lake

Many district residents attended the ATC Search for Talent show held in Lac la Biche Memorial Hall on Dec. 9. Contestants from this district were Louise Hogetveit, accordion soloist, who placed third, and Harvey Onciul, guitar, and Ray Kumpula, accordion, in an instrumental duet.

The Students Union skating rink is ready for another season of skating and hockey.

Onni Jutila is the owner of a new truck.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Rhoda Tricker and family in the passing of her mother Mrs. Pierce at Fort Saskatchewan.

Best wishes to you and yours for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Atmore Service Garage

ATMORE Alberta

At this happy Season we wish to express our best wishes for your Joyful Holidays, and our appreciation for your patronage.

AURORA THEATRE

LAC LA BICHE Alberta

CHRISTMAS IS

Mistletoe over the door...

Laughter filling the room...

A time to greet old friends.

May your homes and hearts be filled

with the joys of the season.

Lac La Biche Coin Laundry

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Holiday season at last is here,
Time to wish friends far and near
Merry Christmas, Happy New Year.

Hayward Lumber Co. Ltd.

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

May peace and goodwill be in your home during this Holiday Season. May only happiness knock at your door, and may prosperity be a constant visitor.

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Parents Responsible For Reading Habits

The King George Park home and school held its regular monthly meeting recently at the school.

A small group of interested parents heard Miss Elsie Bradshaw, reading specialist for the Edmonton Public School Board, stress the fact that parents have an important influence in guiding their children to useful and enjoyable reading habits.

Following a short business meeting, Beate Wenzel, representative to the Banff Workshop, and Mrs. Betty Lankampe, who attended the recent Edmonton Council of Home and School at Victoria Composite High School, gave brief reports.

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Christmas Magic

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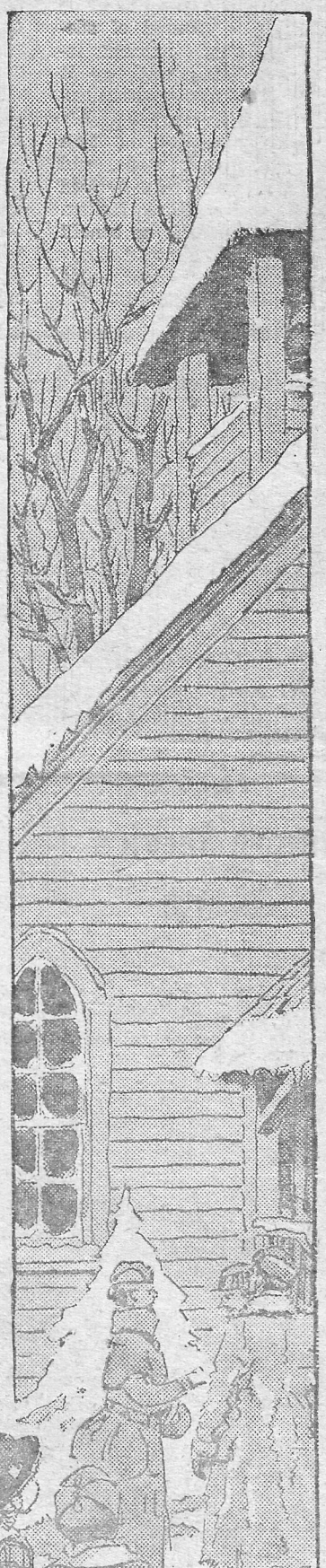

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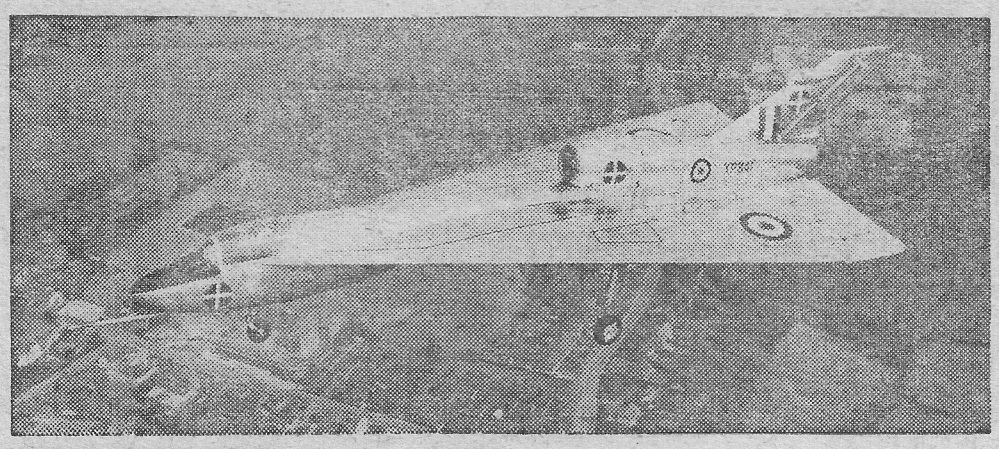


BRITAIN'S NEW arrowhead research aircraft, the Handley Page HP 115, designed as part of a research program which may lead to the world's first supersonic airliner. It is pictured here in flight when it made its first public appearance recently at the Farnborough Air Show, Hampshire, England.

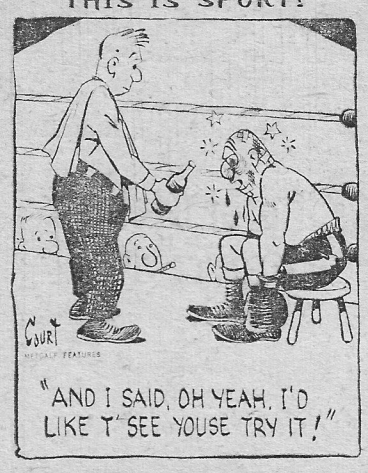
PASTOR'S MESSAGE . . .

Whence A True Christmas?

Christmas provides a striking picture of the perpetual state of unredeemed man. The Bible quotes Isaiah as saying that some future day it would be said, "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.' 'The reference to people in darkness is true of each Christmas. This is an event that many approach insensitive to its true point. Some bog down in complaints of its commerce, indulgences and routines. They think that the answer is to change the whole character of Christmas apart from an individual's labor of spirit. They tire of having to distinguish between material, human and spiritual values. They would have a ready made Christmas in which no one could be misled. Such thinking is a basic denial of the whole nature of man, the world, and our redemption. others just accept Christmas as a matter of form and revelry. They are too unconcerned even to raise questions.

The truth is that Christmas is the beginning of the story of redemption in a world that always needs Christ for meaning. This calls for the spiritual labors of those who will follow him. Not many witnessed Jesus' birth, yet moved by the presence of God they mark the beginning of this story. Even so, today, as perhaps small numbers of persons dispose themselves to being moved by Christ, others in darkness about Christmas will be enlightened.

THIS IS SPORT?



Instrumentalists Take Honors At Lac la Biche Talent Search

Instrumentalists took the honors at the Lac la Biche Search for Talent show held recently at the Memorial Hall. This was the ninth talent show of the season sponsored by the Associated Canadian Travellers of Edmonton in support of the Northern Alberta Crippled Children's Fund.

The show was brought to Lac la Biche under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Lac la Biche Legion under chairmanship of Mrs. Jack Williams.

Twelve-year-old Anoy Kozakevich of Lac la Biche won first place with an accordion solo. Second place went to Joanne Hamar at the saxophone and Lynne Breau at the piano and third place winner was Louise Hagetveit with an accordion solo. All three winners received cash awards donated by Northwestern Utilities Ltd.

Miss Breau won first place at last year's show and Miss Hagetveit repeated her performance of one year ago again winning third place.

A maximum of twenty entries were on hand for the show, which was supplemented by Spotlight Parade and a special number by Dianne Williams as guest artist. Miss Williams won fourth place in the Search for Talent finals last year. She is a tap dancer from Pibroch.

James New of Edmonton was the adjudicator and George Harasim, chairman of the ACT Talent Shows, was team captain. Jack Benbow was in charge of production and James Hamar registered the entries.

Eddie Fyeth of Lac la Biche won the watch and Orest Baraska also of Lac la Biche won a Christensen shirt as a program prize.

Search for Talent now takes a break till January 6, when they visit Tofield under auspices of the Tofield Community League. On January 13, Search for Talent goes to Mannville under auspices of the Mannville Elks Lodge.

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Fri. & Sat., Dec. 29-30—

"Two Rode Together"

Outdoor Drama, Starring James Stewart, Richard Widmark, Shirley Jones, Andy Devine. Only one man could rescue the white captives of the Indians, but he set a high price for the job. From the Saturday Evening Post story that shocked the nation. Showing at 8:30 Friday; 2:30, 7:00 and 9:15 on Saturday.

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Wed., Thurs., Fri., Dec. 27-28-29—

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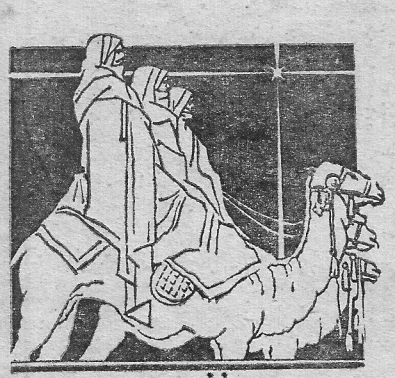

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Teresa Stratas, the 23-year-old Toronto soprano who's a rising young soloist at the Metropolitan opera, has a new nose. Her proboscis, once magnificently Greek, has been trimmed at the insistence of 20th Century Fox, for whom she has already made one movie.

PASTOR'S MESSAGE . . .

"TIDINGS OF GREAT JOY"

by PASTOR JAKE PLETT
Evangelical Free Church

Once again, for the nineteen hundred and sixty first time, the words of the Angel, "Behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy—to all people." (Luke 2:10), will re-echo through the corridors of Time. What are these good tidings?

1—Tidings of His Birth.
"For unto you is born this day—a Saviour who is Christ the Lord." (Luke 2:11)

2—Tidings of His death.
"Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world." (John 1:29)

3—Tidings of His Resurrection.
"He is not here, for he is risen—Come see the place where the Lord lay." (Matthew 28:7)

4—Tidings of His Return.
"This same Jesus which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven." (Acts 1:11)

5—Tidings of His Deity.
"God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto Himself." (II Corinthians 5:19)

6—Tidings of Invitation.
"Now then we are ambassadors for, (representatives of), Christ, as though God did beseech you by us we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God." (II Corinthians 5:20)

Are you this Christmas season crowding the Christ-Child into the stable of Christmas? Then He, the returning, conquering King, will deny you room in His eternal City.

TOUGH LIFE FOR SANTA

ALTON, ILL., (UPI) — Harrison March, a Santa Claus hired to mingle with shoppers in Alton, complained to police that teen-age pranksters had heckled him, tried to steal candy from him, and attempted to set his beard on fire.

FIRST TRIP

A small girl went to church with her grandmother. When the collection plate was passed, the youngster gazed at the assortment of bills and change and then quietly deposited her dime. When they arrived home, she remarked in bewilderment, "I don't know why some people had to pay a dollar in church. I got a good seat for a dime."

We wish you a Merry Christmas

Notice To Creditors And Claimants

In the Estate of WILLIAM PLAMONDON, late of Plamondon, in the Province of Alberta, who died on the 14th day of August, A.D. 1961.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of February, A.D. 1962, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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Solicitors for the Executrix.

Lord Crathorne On M-F Board

The appointment of Lord Crathrone to the Board of Massey-Ferguson Limited, Toronto, and also to the Board in the United Kingdom of Massey-Ferguson Holdings Limited, is announced by W. E. Phillips, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.

Lord Crathorne is well known as the former Sir Thomas Dugdale who was Minister of Agriculture from 1951-1954. He became a Member of Parliament in 1929 and sat in the House of Commons for thirty years. He owns and farms large estates in Yorkshire.

Notice To Creditors And Claimants

In the Estate of NELS GATTHARD LUNDGREN, also known as Nels Lundgren, late of District of Breynat, Alberta, who died on the 20th day of June, 1961.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 31st day of January, 1962, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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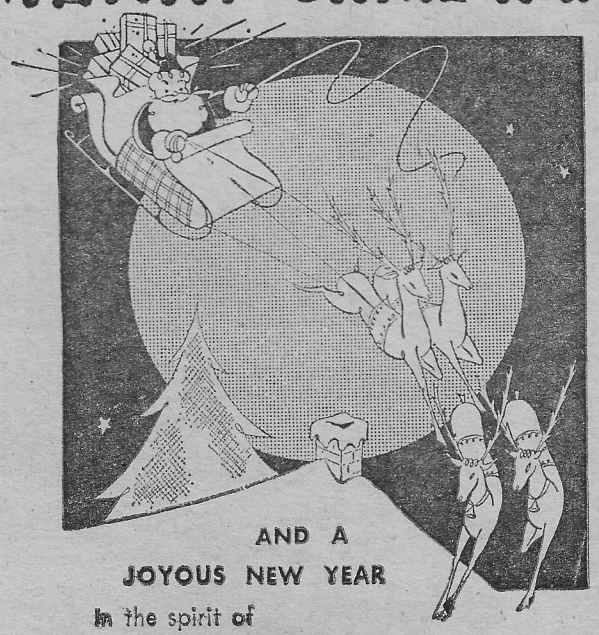
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+ News From Other Alberta Districts +

SHOWN ABOVE ARE SOME of the close to 200 Lions who recently attended the 14th annual charter night of the Vegreville Lions Club. In the front row from the left are Int. Counsellor Rudy R. Rippel of Fort Saskatchewan District Governor J. Hector Arsenau of St. Albert; Int. Couns. Paul Guennette of Emonton and Lion President Fred H. Parrish of Vegreville. In the back row are Lion Deputy District Governor Joe Melnyk of Chipman and Zone Chairman Virgil P. Moshansky and Lion Jim Cairns, both of the Vegreville Club, who received Lions International key member awards.

Vegreville Lions Club Observes Anniversary

A capacity crowd of nearly 200 Lions and guests attended the annual charter night banquet and dance marking the 14th anniversary of the founding of the Vegreville Lions Club held recently at the Legion Building. Visiting Lions from many clubs in Lions International District 37B were present, including visitors from Edmonton, St. Albert, Stony Plain, Wainwright, Andrew, Fort Saskatchewan, Lamont, Chipman, Two Hills and Tofield.

District Governor J. Hector Arsenau of St. Albert was the special guest of the evening and he addressed the gathering following the banquet presided over by President Fred H. Parrish of the Vegreville Lions club. The governor complimented the local club for its many and diversified community activities which formed a part of the more than 200,000 separate service projects carried out by the 16,000 Lions Clubs in 114 countries of the world during the last year. During the evening Lion Stan Kravetz proposed a toast to the ladies which was replied to by Mrs. V. Moshansky.

A special feature of the evening was the induction of 12 new and reinstated members into the Vegreville Club in a ceremony performed by District Governor Arsenau, assisted by International Counsellor Rudy R. Rippel of Fort Saskatchewan and Deputy Governor Joe Melnyk of Chipman. The new Lions are John Huzil, Mike Diduch, Stan Sawaryn, John Skrypnik, Nick Zakordonski, Nestor Zubreski, and Ron Hunka. Three transfer members inducted were: James Richmond, formerly a Lion with the Tisdale, Sask., Lions Club; Doug Copeland, formerly of Leduc, and Mike Petruk, a former Lion member at Lacombe. One reinstated member was welcomed back into the club. Andy Lukenchuk, after a leave of absence. There are now 50 active members in the club.

Two of the Vegreville Lions, Jim Cairns and Virgil Moshansky, received key member awards from the International Association and presentation was made by International Counsellor Paul Guennete of Edmonton. Seventeen members of the Vegreville Lions Club received gold 100% attendance awards, including Lions Al Anderson, Charlie Brinton, Jim Cairns, Jack Dobush, Lawrence Edmunds, Grant Fowle, Jack Hedley, David Hutchinson, Louis Maiko, Bob McKenzie, Ernie Merkel, Leo Milner, Virgil Moshansky, Paul Munsch, Fred Parrish, John Symorozum and Ross White. A five-year perfect attendance pin was received by Lion Virgil Moshansky; a six-year pin by Lion Jack Dobush; a 10-year pin by Lion Leo Milner and an 11-year pin was presented to Lion Lawrence Edmunds.

The president of the Vegreville Lions Club anounced to the assembly that his club would be nominating one of its members, Past President Virgil Moshansky, presently a zone chairman in the district for the position of district governor for the year 1962-63. The district is composed of 45 clubs ranging from Fort St. John, B.C., and includes all of Alberta north of Lacombe. It is part of Lions International district 37 which covers all of Alberta, Montana and Northern B.C.

A committee headed by Lion Jack Dobush was in charge of the charter night arrangements.

Who remembers the day, in the early stages of journalism, when a reporter was a man who discovered and printed the news?

It is very rare to find a public office open on a public holiday.

How To Wish "Happy Christmas"

By Richard Cardinal Cushing, Archbishop of Boston

WHAT makes the difference between a world in which men rush to their destruction, and a world in which God gives men hope and happiness? Christ makes the difference because He — the Son of God — "was made flesh and dwelt among us."

It is Christ who lights up the way which is darkened by human selfishness and greed.

Cushing

It is Christ who remains the same while all else seems to change. It is He who gives hope to those who are confused and discouraged.

It is Christ who is the true joy of Christmas — joy that came from heaven to earth the night He was born.

THE SHEPHERDS who watched their flocks that first Christmas night had little in common with the throngs who then and now seek only to revel in selfish amusements. Yet it was the shepherds who found joy. For it was they who found the Infant King — God Himself.

We cannot understand the meaning of Christmas unless we, too, withdraw from the glamor of lights and tinsel, from the exciting exchange of presents, the joyous thrill of renewed greetings from friends. All these things have their place. But too often they distract our minds from the great truth which originally prompted them — the mystery of God made man.

WE LIKE to think that we are genuinely religious, that we are moved by faith and love. Yet we often find it hard to make a choice between the rewards of time, which lie within our grasp, and the promises of eternity, so elusive in our everyday life.

Still, we do not belong completely to Christ unless we steadily follow the paths He marked for us in His obscure birth, in His dedicated life of self-sacrifice, and in His painful death by which He conquered sin and eternal death.

ASK YOURSELF, "Am I truly a follower of Christ according to the pattern which He has designed for me?" This is the question which all of us may well put to ourselves as we exchange the greetings of Christ's season.

If we want to wish one another a Happy Christmas, we must restore Christmas to Christ. We must confess Christ to be God. We must open our souls to the saving power of God's grace which comes to us through Christ who was born on Christmas day.

FALL on your knees today before your Infant God. Ask Him to revive in your memory the truths which He came to teach. Ask Him to help you once more to live, even in a sinful world, as the child of God which you became through baptism.

Then, truly, we may say Happy Christmas to one another. For then we shall have found the only true source of happiness. May God strengthen our faith on this Christmas. "For to as many as received Him, He gave the power to be made the sons of God."

† Paulist Feature Service, Washington 17, D. C.

Awards Presented At Assembly Held In New Myrnam High School

MYRNAM — A recent general assembly at New Myrnam High school brought together students, teachers, school members, the school superintendent and parents for the annual presentation of awards. Frank Shymko, principal, was master of ceremonies.

Grade 9 honor students, including Ronald Cebryk, Edna Dmytryshyn Leonard Franko, Robert Lisevich, Richard Scherban, Rosemarie Semeniuk and Rita Synyshyn received honor medals and $25 scholarships from W. Chorney, divisional school trustee.

Home and School Association academic pins were presented by N. Tkachuk, HSA chairman, to Billy Shymko, Douglas Cebryk and Carol Metrunec in Grade 6, Terry Sosnowski and Judith Bartoshyk in Grade 7, Joan Magdiak and Patricia Lesyk in Grade 8, Elizabeth Makohonyk and Marshall Kotowich in Grade 10. Patricia Lynkowski and Ronald Shymko in Grade 11.

N. Myskiw, school superintendent, presented the Farm Safety Essay award to Terry Sosnowski for Grade 7. This is the second time that Terry captured this high literary award for the best essay submitted on farm safety in the Two Hills school division.

Mr. Myskiw also presented the Governor-General's bronze medal to Rosemarie Semeniuk for having attained the highest standing for Grade 9 in the division.

Mr. Myskiw complimented the winners and urged all the students to greater intellectual effort.

The ladies of the Home and School sponsored a tea following the presentations, served by the home economics girls.

Two Hills Airman Posted To Egypt

The RCAF has announced the Jan. posting to Egypt of Leading Aircraftman Nick Ostashek, 34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ostashek of Two Hills.

A mobile equipment technician at RCAF Station Namao, north of Edmonton, he will continue similar work with 115 Air Transport Unit at El Arish, Egypt.

Postings to Egypt are normally for a one year period.

LAC Ostashek enlisted into the RCAF in November, 1957. He was transferred to RCAF Station Namao in January, 1958.

He is married to the former Jean Sherstianko of Two Hills. They have three children, Robert, Dale and Rickey.

Pauline Matiaszow Is Crowned Queen

ANDREW — Miss Pauline Matiaszow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Matiaszow, was crowned Queen of the Bazaar, sponsored by the Ukrainian Ladies' Aid and the Ukrainian Orthodox parish and held at the Silver Glow hall recently.

Runners-up Miss Hazel Sidor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Metro Sidor, and Miss Anne Boyko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyko, attended Miss Matiaszow as she was crowned Queen of the Bazaar by Rev. S. Stolarchuk. Miss Joyce Gregoraschuk, Queen of the Bazaar in 1960, congratulated Miss Matiaszow.

J. W. Huculak, parish president, thanked the people for again supporting the bazaar.

N. A. Melnyk was master of ceremonies.

Funeral Held For Nickolai Svekla

WILLINGDON — On Dec. 6 Nickolai Svekla, a pioneer of the Boian district, passed away at the age of 83 years.

He is survived by four sons and three daughters, Metru of East Coulee, Floyd of Edmonton, John and Robert of Mundare, Mrs. Mike (Helen) Semeniuk of Warwick, Mrs. Carl (Kay) Peterson of Edmonton and Mrs. Tom (Mary) Hauca of Willingdon; 31 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. John (Sanda) Blaschuk of Vernon, B.C.

Prayer services were held on Dec. 8 at 8:00 p.m. at the Park Memorial Chapel in Vegreville. Funeral services were on Dec. 9 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Roumanian Orthodox Church at Boian, Rev. D. Diaconescu officiating.

Interment took place in the church cemetery.

Mr., Mrs. John Iftody Honored On Golden Wedding Anniversary

WILLINGDON — Marriage vows were again repeated by Mr. and Mrs. John Iftody and wedding rings exchanged in the same church in which they were married 50 years ago. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Diaconescu of Willingdon in Boian Church. Bridal attendants were Mrs. William Koroliuk of Vegreville, one of the original attendants, and Mrs. Anna Sembaliuk of Edmonton.

Following the ceremony in the church, a dinner and dance was held in Boian Hall, attended by their five children and more than 150 friends and neighbors. Metro Roma was master-of-ceremonies and read telegrams of congratulations from Governor-general and Madame Vanier; Hon. Percy Page; Premier Diefenbaker; Frank Fane, MP, N. A. Melynk, MLA and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Olinyk.

Mr. Iftody came to Canada from Chernwotza, Romania, in 1897 at the age of 8, and Mrs. Iftody, the former Rose Goreniuk, came from Chernwotza in 1901 at the age of 7. She lived at Deep Lake, with her parents until her marriage to John Iftody in 1911 in Boian Church, which they have attended for 50 years of their marriage. In recognition of their long and faithful service to the church, Rev. Diaconescu preseted them with a picture from Bishop Andre Moldovanu and a certificate from Rev. Petro Avram of Regina.

Nick Svekla on behalf of the guests made the presentation of a lazy boy rocking chair, while the family gave each of them a gold watch. N. A. Melynk, MLA for the Willingdon constiutency, presented the couple with a scroll on behalf of Premier E. C. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Iftody have a family of five: Mrs. Mary Toma, Boian, Metro Iftody of Two Hills; Sandra Porozny, Willingdon; Mike of Calgary and Nick of Edmonton. There are 19 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A motherly smile plays on Princess Margaret's lips as she cuddles her infant son, born in London, Nov. 3. The baby has been named David Albert Charles Viscount Linley. The picture was taken by his father, Lord Snowdon.

T-D Banker Calls For Fixed Exchange

Fixed exchange basis of Canadian dollar was advocated by A. T. Lambert, president of The Toronto-Dominion Bank, in his address to shareholders.

He suggested a range within which the rate would be permitted to operate freely, for example, 94 to 96 cents in U.S. funds, with intervention by the authorities only taking place when the rate threatens to move through either limit.

However, Mr. Lambert admitted that it is as yet to early to say just what level is appropriate but he contended that the Canadian dollar has been overvalued in recent years.

"A fixed rate would permit Canadian producers to plan ahead, to develop domestic sources of supply and to quote firm prices without the risk that an unforeseen shift in the exchange market might undermine their operations.

"Canada", he said, "has not embarked on a series of devaluations designed to bring unfair advantage to Canadian producers but is simply endeavouring to achieve a foreign exchange value for the dollar which is compatible with Canada's economic positions.

"Common prudence," he said, "suggests that we should accumulate larger foreign exchange reserves. He deplored the tendency to regard additions to our reserves as a cost or expense, referring to them as "an investment which will prove useful in the future."

In rural Norway the women bake a year's supply of bread at Christmas time and store it in mouse-proof rooms.

Municipalities Should Reserve Land For Industry

The president of Canadian Utilities Limited, J. C. Dale of Edmonton, says a good way for municipalities to attract new industry is to bup up tracts of land and establish industrial reserves.

He suggests a municipality buy up industrial sites, hold them and then sell the land at "fair value" instead of inflated prices. He said this would be "quite a concession to industry."

Another executive, A. F. Shortell of Lloydminster TV station, says the main problem in establishing secondary industry is the lack of investment capital. He said Canadians are too cautious in their investments

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MAY the true spirit of Christmas fill your home at this festive season . . . and may its many benefits linger on throughout the entire year. This is our hope. May a new prosperity and happiness be yours throughout the coming new year. This is our prayer. So we join with everyone in an expectant unity that all this may be true.

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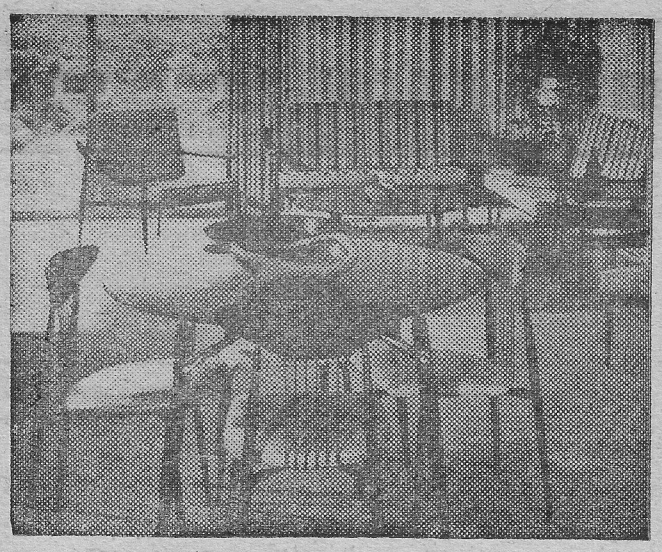

THE NEW LOOK for the up-to-date Albertan is featured in a masterwork of metal furniture.

No "Welfare" Plan For 10,000 Employees

The Alberta government has no plans to introduce an employee welfare plan for its 10,000 civil servants.

Provincial treasurer E. W. Hinman said no action is contemplated on the request by the Civil Service Association for an insurance plan to provide protection in cases of accident, sickness or death.

The association stated in a brief to the cabinet that nearly all civil servants are insured by MSI and Blue Cross and interest has been indicated in similar coverage for dental work and drugs. The brief stated such coverages together with a life insurance plan would provide "fairly comprehensive" protection.

The brief maintained that employer participation would reduce the overall costs of operating such plans because of "maximum participation." This reduction in costs would provide a saving to each participant at little, if any, actual increase in cost to the employer's operation.

New Men For The Canadian Imperial Bank Of Canada

STONY PLAIN — The Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce has two new men on staff. Gary Clements comes here from the Imperial Branch in Donalda where he first joined the bank two years ago. He is replacing Norman Ursulak who has gone to Household Finance in preparation for embarking on a chartered accountants course.

Ken Koruk came from a Commerce branch in Champion. He has been with the bank for one and one-half years, having started his banking career in Calgary.

The Christmas seal has become an annual institution and offers at the Christmas season an opportunity for rich and poor alike to help in the fight against an ancient enemy — Tuberculosis.

May you enjoy peace and happiness during the coming New Year.

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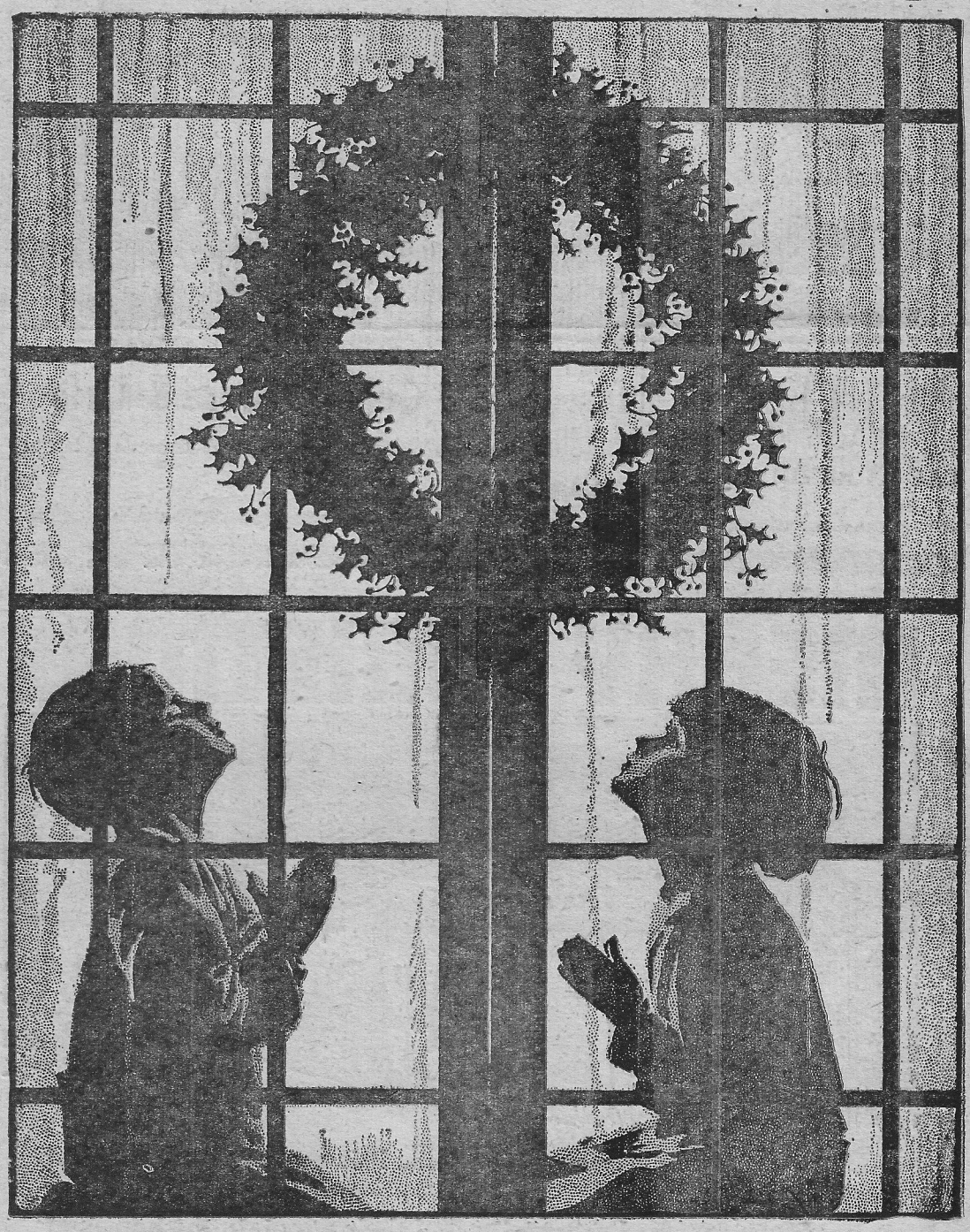

WE HOPE THIS CHRISTMAS WILL BE ESPECIALLY PLEASANT FOR YOU. YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

The Mayor and Councillors of the Town of Lac La Biche

HOW TO KEEP WELL:

Trace Swelling On Finger To Lung Cancer

By DR. T. R. VAN DELLEN
in the Toronto Daily Star

A 52--yar-old stone mason developed a swelling near the end of the left ring finger. He told Dr. Adrian E. Flatt of Iowa City the lump had appeared three weeks previously and was becoming more painful—throbbing constantly. Hot packs gave no relief; if anything, they aggravated distress.

X-ray of the finger revealed a destructive lesion of the bone, characteristic of cancer. A chest X-ray was taken also because the man was a heavy tobacco user and his "smoker's cough" had grown worse recently. The film revealed a shadow that proved to be malignant.

Further studies showed cancer had begun in the lung and spread to the finger. Distress from this secondary hand tumor (metastasis) was the first sign of the existence of a malignancy.

The finger was amputated to relieve the persistent pain but it was too late to do anything about the chest. The lung tumor no longer was a localized lesion, it was beyond hope of cure.

We can profit from this tragic story. Unrecognized lung cancer spreads frequently to the bones of the body. The digits are not a favorite site. But now that carcinoma of the lungs is on the increase, secondary cancer deposits from this area are becoming one of the commonest malignant tumors of the hand.

Another lesson to be learned from this case is that the diagnosis of lung cancer is delayed because coughing is the earliest symptom and most victims already cough because of smoking. Cigarets may not cause lung cancer but smoking produces the cough that masks the real situation, delaying early diagnosis and the possibility of cure.

Chest pain and bloody sputum are the next symtoms to appear. But all too often by this time, the malignancy has spread.

BEDSORES

W. S. Writes: What is the best drug for bedsores?

Reply: There is no best drug. Good nursing care is best; it involves cleanliness, turning the bedridden person periodically, and protecting the pressure points with doughnut-shaped rings.

LUNG INFECTION

L. B. writes: I spent 16 days in the hospital with pneumonitis. Three weeks later I still have a slight temperature and cough, soreness in my left lung, and a tight feeling in the chest. Is this to be expected?

Reply: No. Pneumonitis is a near relative of pneumonia. The slight fever is a sign the infection has recurred, a minor complication exists, or you have developed another lung condition. These symptoms will disappear when healing occurs.

Publcity, like fire,, can be friend or foe.

Argentine Outlook

The present outlook for the 1961-62 wheat crop in Argentina is promising in nearly all districts, reports Canada's Commercial Secretary in Buenos Aires. Production is estimated at 195 million bushels. This represents an increase of 40 percent over last season but is by no means a record. Many years ago Argentina harvested several crops of over 220 million bushels and the all-time record of 379 million bushels was harvested in 1938-39.

There is nothing as pompous as an "authority" who has to maintain his reputation.

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And hearts are filled with cheer,
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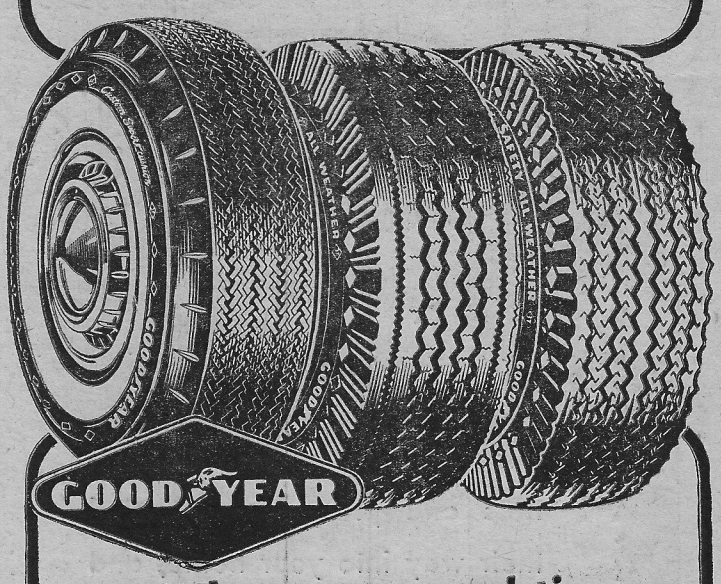

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Looking out of a window on Christmas Eve in a castle where he was a guest, he saw the stars shining brightly through the boughs of a giant fir tree. One very bright star stood in the firmament at the top of the tree. So Luther chopped down a small fir in a forest near the castle and brought it inside. He secured candles which he put on the tree with the largest one at the top — the Star of Bethlehem.

The prince and his princess were delighted and they placed all their gifts for their children under the tree. And when the children saw it in the morning they were ecstatic with joy. And that is how our lighted Christmas tree originated.

Today, Christmas lighting is part of the Alberta way of life and there are a huge variety of lighted decorations from which to choose.

The modern trend for Christmas tree lighting is away from the bright and somewhat garish effect when brilliant, clear bulbs are used. The tendency now is to use subdued "cool" colors in the larger bulbs.

Recently introduced are the "midget" type lamps and these have become enormously popular across Canada. These are about the size and shape of the sharpened end of a lead pencil, come in a full color range and give a beautiful effect on the tree.

More and more homeowners are using the new artificial trees. These are most realistic looking. They make no muss of needles and can be folded up and stored for use year after year. Besides coming in the natural green they are available in a number of pastel shades. They are equipped with a safety fuse plug. These strings have outlets at the free end into which other strings may be plugged and the safety fuse also protects these.

Research Pays

A federal scientist has been successful in laboratory experiments to remove radioactive strontium - 90 from milk, Health Minister Monteith said in the House of Commons.

But he said that research on methods to remove strontium-90 from the human body has produced "little of practical value yet."

The question on strontium-90, a byproduct of nuclear tests, was raised by Dr. P. E. Rynard, PC-Simcoe East.

Mr. Monteith said a method to remove it from milk has been developed in the laboratory by Dr. B. B. Migicovsky of the agriculture department. The method now was being tried "on a small production basis.,,

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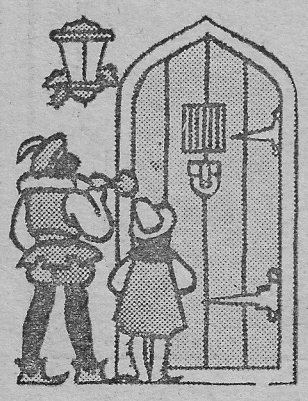
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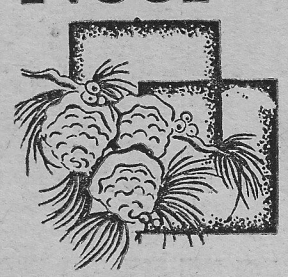
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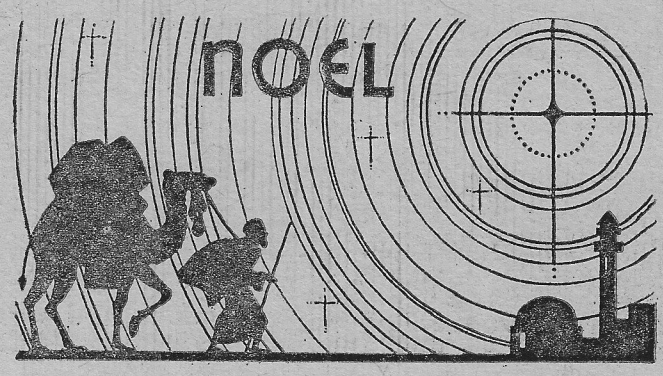

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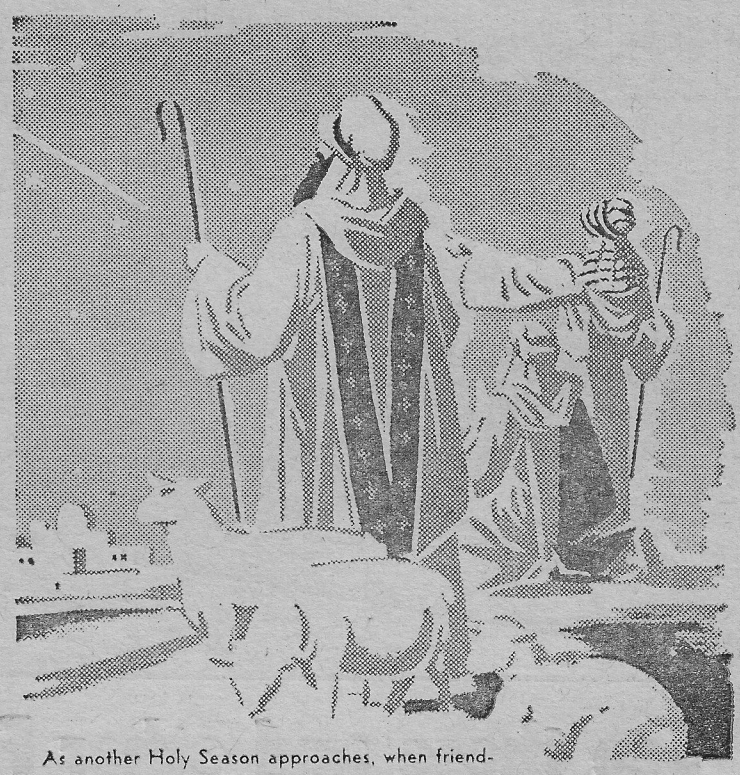
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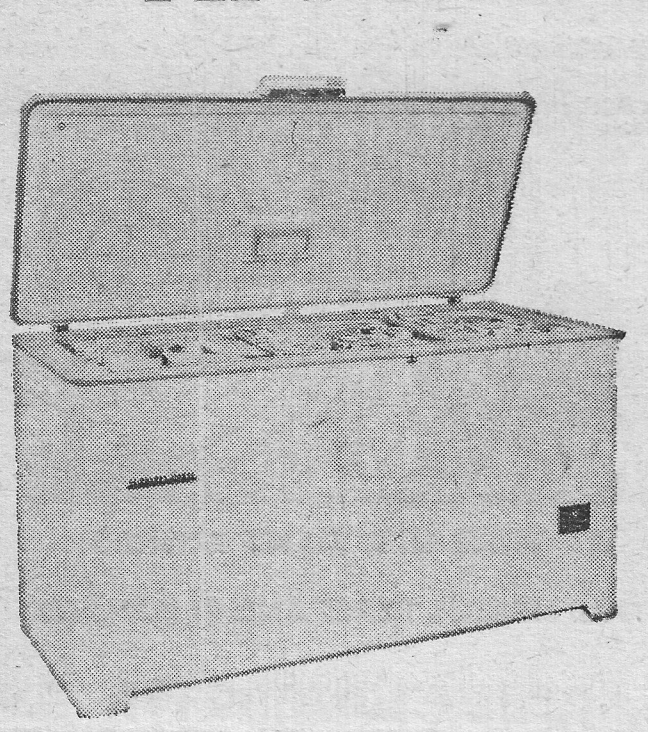

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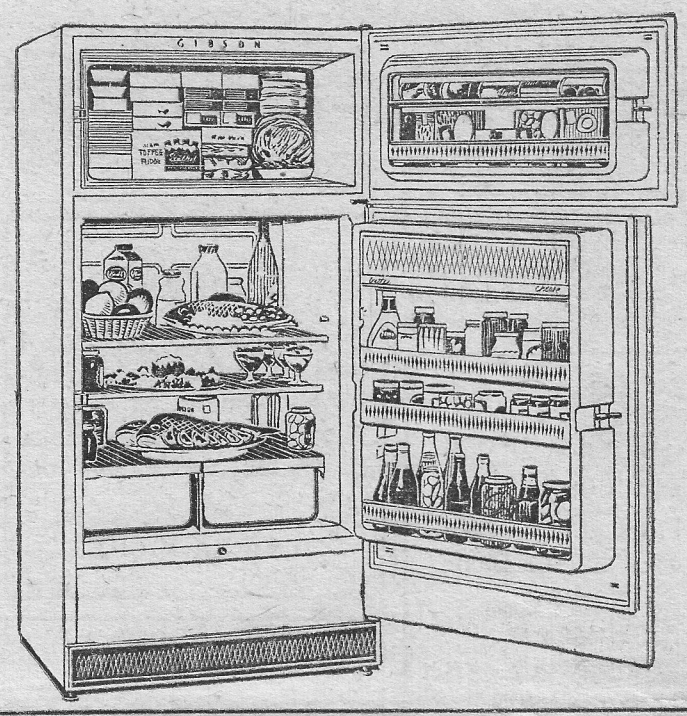

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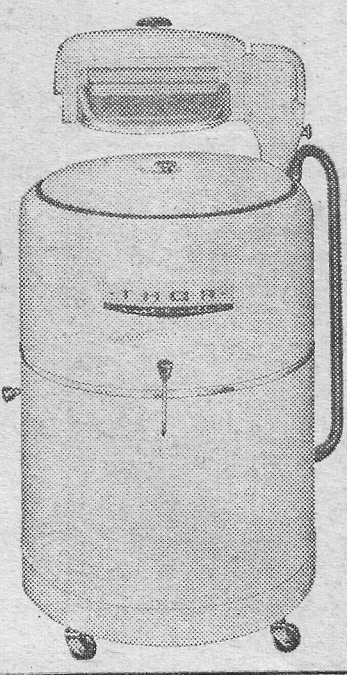

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